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TOPIC Military Information from Doeberitz

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REMARKS

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1. Three units marched from the Loewen Kaserne at Doeberitz (W 53/Z 65) through Neues Lager and Altes Lager and back to the barracks installation on 3 October 1951. Each unit was headed by 1 colonel, 24 officers, 1 band, 1 officer, 1 color guard and 18 groups, each of 7 officers and 48 soldiers, who wore red-bordered black epaulets and carried carbines with fixed bayonets. Each unit had a furled flag which was unfurled on entering Neues Lager. The flags displayed a Soviet star and a two-line inscription forming a semi-circle.

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Because the units stayed in Altes Lager for more than an hour, [redacted] a troop review was held there. On 18 October, 12 tanks were noticed in Neues Lager. 7 tanks were model T-34.

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[redacted] According to the present report, the regiment can be carried in the Loewen Kaserne or in the Adler Kaserne.

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[redacted] the Loewen Kaserne was vacant on 20 September 1971.

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